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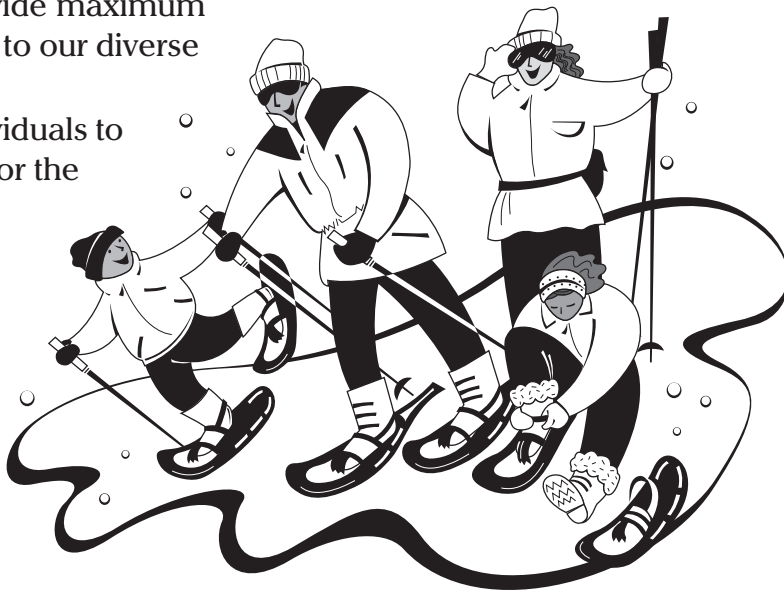
South Park Community Center

Come Join Us for Programs, Computers & Fun

Mission Statement: Seattle Parks and Recreation will work with all citizens to be good stewards of our environment, and to provide safe and welcoming opportunities to play, learn, contemplate and build community.

Advisory Council Mission:

- To act in an advisory capacity to the South Park Community Center staff to provide maximum recreation and human services to our diverse community.
- To encourage families and individuals to volunteer in leading programs for the Community of South Park.
- To foster collaborative partnerships with local agencies who support cultural diversity.
- To provide opportunities for the community to have an active voice in the development of services sponsored by the South Park Community Center.



8319 8th Ave South
Seattle, WA 98108
206-684-7451 TDD only 206-684-4950

Hours of Operation

Monday—Thursday	noon–9p.m.
Friday	11a.m.–9p.m.
Saturdays, starting January 4th	9a.m.–5p.m.

Registration Opens: December 15th

Programs Begin: Week of Jan 5th

Holiday Closures:

Christmas	Thursday	Dec 25th
New Year's	Thursday	Jan 1st
M L King Jr Day	Monday	Jan 19th
President's Day	Monday	Feb 16th

SOUTH PARK COMMUNITY CENTER

8319 8th Ave S • Seattle, WA 98108

Phone: (206) 684-7451 Fax (206) 762-7780

Visit us online at www.seattle.gov/parks!

Hours of operation

Monday through Thursday, Noon to 9PM

Friday 11:00AM to 9:00PM

Saturday 9:00AM to 5:00PM

Holiday closures

January 21, Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr.'s birthday

February 18, Presidents' Day

Program registration

Mail-in registration begins December 13

Walk-in registration begins January 5

Program dates

January 1 to March 28, 2004

You can make a difference!

The Advisory Council is a group of citizens dedicated to the enrichment of our community. Its support enables us to offer a variety of programs and services for people of all ages, abilities and backgrounds.

Our Advisory Council is always looking for new members. Meetings are held on a monthly basis to talk about programs, policies, and financial issues. Citizen direction and participation are vital to our continued success. Advisory Council members also create scholarship opportunities through grant writing and other fundraising activities. If you'd like to get involved, please contact our staff.

Most classes, workshops, sports, special events, and facility rentals are funded through the Advisory Council rather than through Seattle Parks and Recreation. Revenues generated through program fees offset program costs to make Advisory Council activities self-sustaining. We rely heavily on program participation, donations, and contributions to buy, repair, maintain, and upgrade program equipment and supplies.

Professional staff

Ken Bounds, *Superintendent*

Christopher Williams, *Operations Director*

Katie Gray, *Southwest Parks and Recreation Manager*

Corey Myers, *Acting Southwest Senior Recreation Coordinator*

Denise Pitman, *Center Coordinator*

Carmen Rodriguez-Orton, *Assistant Center Coordinator*

Eric Bondeson, *Recreation Attendant*

Carmen Martinez, *Teen Development Leader*

Jerry Loo, *Building Maintenance*

Mission

Seattle Parks and Recreation will work with all citizens to be good stewards of our environment, and to provide safe and welcoming opportunities to play, learn, contemplate, and build community.

E-Brochures are available!

In keeping with our environmental stewardship policies, we're trying to reduce the amount of paper we use. We invite you to visit our web site at www.seattle.gov/parks. You can find this brochure information online.

Suggestions

We welcome your ideas. If you want to suggest a new class, or if you have an idea you think would benefit us or our community in general, please let us know.

Interested in teaching?

We're always looking for top quality instructors to offer unique courses. We choose class offerings based on participants' interest and space availability. If you have a special talent, skill, or knowledge you would like to share with others in a class or workshop format, please talk to a member of our staff.

Anti-discrimination

As a matter of policy, law, and commitment, Seattle Parks and Recreation does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, sex, marital status, sexual orientation, political ideology, age, creed, religion, ancestry, national origin, or the presence of any sensory, mental or physical handicap.

Accommodation for people with disabilities.

We will make reasonable accommodation, upon request, for people with disabilities. For sign language interpretation, auxiliary aids or other accommodation, please call (206) 615-0140 or TDD (206) 684-4950. Please allow 10 working days' advance notice. If a class or activity is scheduled in an area not accessible for wheelchairs, we will make every effort to help you find a similar program in an accessible location.

Rentals

For information about room rentals, please view our facility rental brochure. (<http://www.cityofseattle.net/parks/reservations/facrentalguide.htm>)

More information

For information about Parks and Recreation facilities, recreation programs, picnic shelters, and scheduling, please visit our web site at www.seattle.gov/parks, or call our Public Information line, 206-684-4075. For more information about programs for senior adults, please call 206-684-4951, and for information about programs for special populations, please call 206-684-4950.

Have a Party! at South Park CC

We are an excellent choice for wedding receptions, birthday parties or business gatherings.

To rent South Park for your next event, **call 684-7451.**



South Park Advisory Council

The South Park Community Center Advisory Council, in partnership with the City of Seattle Department of Parks and Recreation, takes a leadership role by planning and organizing programs to be held at the South Park Community Center and the surrounding playfield. Programs, classes, scholarships are funded by the Advisory Council.

Be a part of your local South Park Community Center and become involved with other citizens and staff in planning programs for neighborhood children, teens, adults, seniors and families.



The South Park Advisory Council meets monthly. For the next meeting fall Sue Kershaw, Chairperson at 206-767-5695 or the Community Center at 684-7451.

Current Council Members

Sue Kershaw
Bea Johnson
Tammy Haney
Pam Pago
Ruby Fontilea
Bertha Martinez

Payment

You can pay for classes and other activities by mail, in person during regular facility hours, or by telephone with a credit card. We accept Visa, MasterCard and American Express. Please make checks and money orders out to our Advisory Council. **Please note:** Payment is due when you register, unless we have indicated otherwise. If your check is returned for insufficient funds, your registration will be cancelled until you pay the amount due, plus a \$20 fee. (Credit card or cash only.) We are working on a system that will make online registration available.

Fees and charges

Our Advisory Council provides the programs and activities listed in this brochure under an agreement with Seattle Parks and Recreation. Fees collected by the Advisory Council are used to offset the cost of providing the programs. Program charges include user fees of \$1 per class, \$1.50 per workshop, and \$1.30 per participant in each athletic game, paid to Seattle Parks and Recreation to defray operating costs. People 60 and older are not charged these user fees unless there is a stated senior fee for a particular class. Class and program fees include Washington State sales tax where applicable.

Refunds

It is the policy of Seattle Parks and Recreation and the Associated Recreation Council that:

- Anyone who registers for a class, camp, special event or program that is cancelled for any reason by Parks and Recreation or the Advisory Council will receive a full refund.
- Anyone who registers for a day camp, trip, overnight camp, special event, or facility rental, and who requests a refund 14 days or more before its

start (or before the second session of a class), may receive a refund minus a service charge.

- Anyone who registers for a day camp, trip, overnight camp, special event, or facility rental, and who withdraws from the activity fewer than 14 days before its start (or after the second session of a class), will receive no refund.
- Please read the entire policy, #7.16, for specific information.

Scholarships

Our Advisory Council wants to ensure that our activities, classes and sports are available to everyone, regardless of their ability to pay. The Council may choose to offer scholarships for qualified applicants. To apply for a scholarship, please talk to a member of our staff.

Waiting lists

We will create waiting lists for all filled classes. Please be sure to sign up if you are interested in a class that is full, because class openings often become available. If demand is high, we will try to form another class. Please contact us for space availability.

Class cancellations

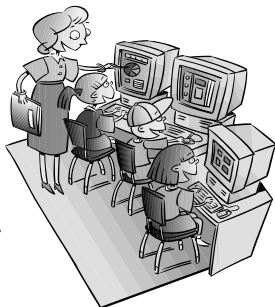
To cover the cost of providing a program, we need a specific number of participants. If too few people sign up for a class, we must cancel it. We'll notify you (at the latest) one or two days before the class start date. When possible, we will postpone a cancelled class for a week to allow for more enrollments; if the class minimum is not met by then, we will have to cancel it.

Confirmations

Sorry, we cannot confirm class registration by mail or phone, but we will notify you by phone if your class is postponed or cancelled.

Computer Lab

Mission: To provide for the South Park Neighborhood access to computer technology by offering quality computer classes and internet access; also open lab opportunities on a year-round basis.



Located: 8319 8th Avenue South, Seattle, WA

Phone: 762-7780 during business hours
Weekdays and Saturday — Call for time.

**Want to make a difference in our Lab?
More open hours, more programs?**

Then join the South Park Technology Advisory Board — SPTAB!!!

SPTAB Mission:

To provide sustainable Computer Lab at South Park Community Center for families and partners in the South Park neighborhood.

- Monthly meetings include decision making on incoming funding for lab
- Assist in recruitment and selection process of hired staff for lab
- Work in partnership with South Park Community Center and Advisory Council to provide increase programming in our lab
- Volunteer to provide marketing, tech support, mentorship.
- Grant writing for funding

For more information and to complete a volunteer packet contact us at 684-7451. With your help, our Computer lab will continue to operate and provide quality service for our South Park neighborhood.

Due to lack of a Computer Lab Coordinator at this time, you will need to call 684-7451 to find out availability of using our lab. Lab offerings and open hours are subject to change. Call ahead to make sure the lab is open.

Youth Programs

Sign Up Now After School Child Care

3:15–6:30pm

\$230 Month

A daily program for after school. The program includes crafts, cooking, new games, sports, movies, special events, music, and trips.

(All children in After School Child Care must have a parent packet on file. Forms are available at the counter.)

Parents are encouraged to volunteer with the program. Call **684-7451**.

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Special Events

Neighborhood Appreciation Day

Feb. 14th

9:30am—noon

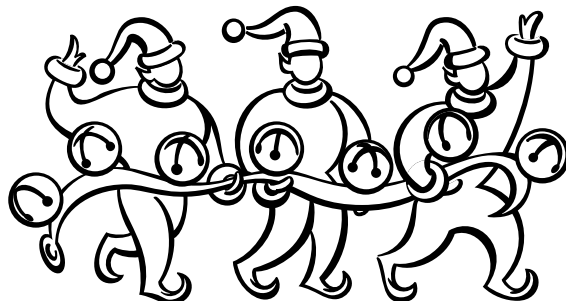
Pancake Breakfast. Bring the family.

Winterfest

Dec 13th

5:00pm

Food and music. Celebration of the season of giving with neighbors and friends. Family event. Volunteers needed! Call 684-7451 to help!



VOLUNTEER Call Ellen at 762-7780 or 684-7451 to volunteer!!!!

Teens

Teen Programs!!!

Yes - Teen Programs are back!

Come and meet our new Teen Recreation Leader, Carmen Martinez!

Exciting after-school and weekend programs for Middle school and High school teens.

Opportunities to participate in trips, community service projects, computer lab classes, sports, dances, movies, skating, homework help and more!

Opportunity to earn high school credits through volunteer work at the center!

Come by and pick up a Teen Registration Packet and get involved.

Teen Health Program

**Coming
January 2004**



Teens: Ages 12-13

2 weekdays per week or 8 weeks

Fun learning program where participants earn \$5/class. Total of 16 classes on subjects of drug abuse, teen pregnancy, STD, risks of Alcohol and teen violence. Limit 10 per class.

This project funded by United Way, the South Park Advisory Council and the UW.

Instructor: Andrew Bryant

Senior Adult Programs

Senior Trips Monthly

Enjoy outings to interesting places with other seniors. Call Mary Dalzell at Jefferson Community Center (684-7481) for more information.

Instructor Talent Search

Do you have a hobby, skill or talent you would like to share with others? Call our staff at 684-7451, or send a class description to: South Park Community Center 8319 8th Ave South, Seattle WA 98108.

Youth Sports

Basketball

Ages 8-9 Cost \$45.00

Practices are held after school at South Park Community Center. Practices are twice a week. League games are Friday nights starting in January.

Parents are needed to help transport youth to games. parents must have insurance to drive players.

Basketball

Ages 10-17 Cost \$45.00

Boys & Girls teams

Practices are held twice a week after school and some Saturdays. Games begin in January and run through mid-March 2004. Games are played at South Park Community Center and other locations in the city.

Parents ...

Parent volunteers are needed to help transport youth sports teams to games. Volunteer drivers must have insurance.

Call 684-7451 to volunteer.

Adult Volunteer Coaches Needed



A rewarding experience!! Volunteer coaches needed for all youth sports for boys and girls. Coaches work with players, parents and center staff to develop fundamental skills and create a fun learning environment for youth in our sports programs.

If you are interested contact us at 684-7451. Ask for Carmen.

Youth Sports Associations

This list contains associations and phone numbers that can serve South Park youth. Numbers are as current as possible

Soccer (Signups June–July)

West Seattle Soccer Club 935-6343
 Highline Soccer Association 824-2665
 South Park Community Center 684-7457
(Instructional ages 6-13)



Football (Signups mid-July — August)

Southwest Athletic Club 762-0362
 Burien Bearcats 242-5766



Basketball (Signups mid-October — November)

South Park Community Center
 Seattle Parks Dept 684-7451
 White Center
 Teen Center King County Parks Dept. 296-2956



Baseball/Fastpitch (Signups February – March)

Highline East Little League 243-9229
 Southwest Little League 298-5731
 West Seattle Little League 937-1928
 West Seattle Pee Wee
 West Seattle Pony/Bronco 767-2705
 Burien Little League 243-8410
 Burien Cubs Burien Blazers
 Contact: Vic Stunn 241-2614



Track (Signups mid-March)

South Park Community Center
 Seattle Parks Dept 684-7451

Flag Football (Signups mid-August)

South Park Community Center
 Seattle Parks Dept 684-7451

Volleyball (Signups mid-August)

South Park Community Center
 Seattle Parks Dept 684-7451

Neighbors Helping Local Youth

Can you donate your skills to help children?

Classroom Tutors
Computer Lab Tutors
Art Teacher
Van Driver for trips
Cooking Instructor
Wading Pool Monitor
Parent outreach Volunteers — in Spanish,
Cambodian, Samoan Languages
Pre-school Volunteer

South Park's Wish List

If you can donate items to help our Youth and Teen programs call us at 206-684-7451.
Donations must be safe and in good condition.

Ping pong paddles
6 person camping tents
Ice chests
Plastic boats, toys for wading pool
Art supplies
Educational workbooks for children
Scooters
New Booster Seats

Volunteers Are Making a Difference at These Events—

Call 684-7451 to Become Involved.
You will be glad you did!

- South Park Computer Center
- Annual Spring Egg Hunts for Children & Teens
- Annual South Park Festival:
Big Deal Day
- Annual Halloween Carnival and Haunted House
- Annual Family Holiday Event, "Winterfest"
- Youth Sports Coaches:
- Football, Volleyball, Basketball, Track, Softball, Soccer
- Childrens' Garden Project
- Summer Wading Pool and More!

Helpful Information

The Department of Parks & Recreation

General Information 684-4075
Compliments/Concerns 684-4837

South Division Community Centers

Delridge 684-4723
Hiawatha 684-7441
High Point 684-7422
Jefferson 684-7481
Rainier 684-1919
Rainier Beach Complex 684-1924
South Park 684-7451
Southwest Complex 684-7438
Van Asselt 386-1921

Swimming Pools

Southwest
Colman (outdoor/summer) 684-7494
Rainier Beach 386-1944
Wading Pools (summer) 684-7996

Emergencies

Fire/Medical/Police **dial 911**
POISON CENTER 526-2121
Crisis Clinic 461-3222
Animal Control 386-4354

Police

Non-Emergency 625-5011
Crime Prevention 684-7555
South Precinct 386-1850

Libraries

Beacon Hill 684-4711
Columbia 386-1908
High Point 684-7454
Holly Park 386-1905
Southwest 684-7455

Need another City of Seattle number?

Call us! 684-7451

How Do I Get There?

Driving Directions to South Park CC

Southbound – From 99 via First Ave S Bridge

When heading Southbound on 99 go over the first Ave South Bridge. Stay in the right lane. Exit at "South Park". At stop sign turn left onto First Ave South. Follow the road to stop sign — turn left onto Cloverdale Street. Go over the freeway and head into South Park (via Cloverdale). On 8th Ave South (by fire station) turn left and head 2 blocks north. Center is on the left.

Southbound – From I-5

Take Albrow Exit, then turn right. Follow road to E Marginal Way. Turn left. Head south on E Marginal Way, three lights. Turn right and go over 16th Avenue S Bridge into South Park. Go to light (14th and Cloverdale) turn right. Head to next light (8th and Cloverdale) turn right. Center is two blocks ahead on left.

Northbound– Freeway 509 North

Take South Park Exit. Turn right onto Cloverdale St. Go east to light (8th and Cloverdale). Turn left. Center is two blocks ahead on left.

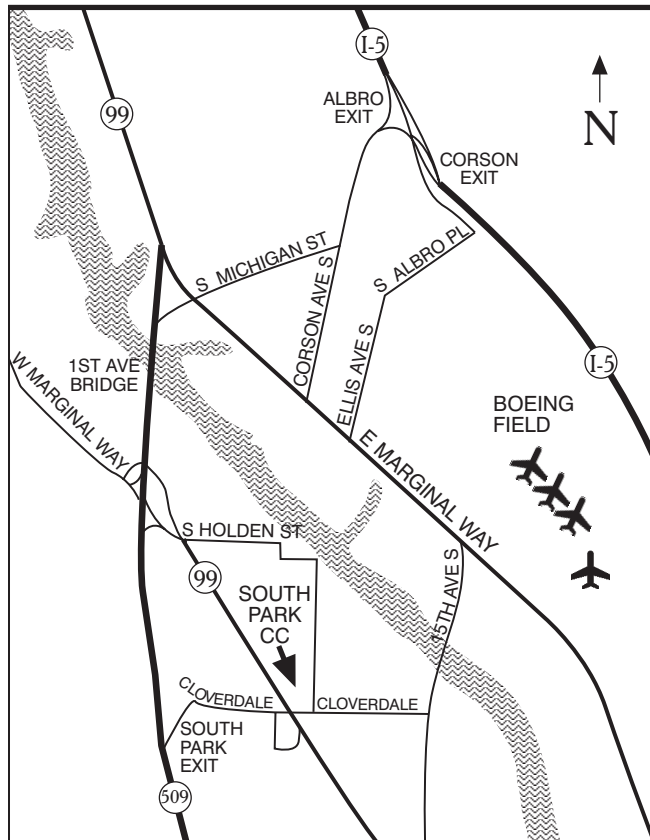
Northbound – From I-5

Take Corson Exit. Follow road to E Marginal Way. Turn left. Head south on E Marginal Way to 16th Avenue S Bridge. Turn right, cross over bridge and go to light (14th and Cloverdale). At light turn right head to next light (8th and Cloverdale). Turn right. Center is two blocks ahead on left.

Thank You CLUB 100 Members

Club 100 are members of the South Park business community, local community service organizations, and individuals who donate funds for teen and youth recreational programs at the South Park Community Center. Through their generous contributions, class scholarships, special events, sports uniforms, day camp scholarships, trips and transportation are made available to local youth in our area.

Aerospace Machinists	PACO
Aqua Quip	Puget Sound Coating
Bank of America	Pump Industries
Boeing	Pyro Media
Boyer Alaska Barge	Seattle Chocolates
Delta Marine	Seattle Mariners
Ferguson Cont.	Seattle Refrigeration
Fred Meyers	Seattle Seahawks
Gary Merlino	Seattle Welding
Gear Works	Smith Berger Marine
Glista	South Park Marina
Hurler Cont.	Rasmussen Rope
J & M Stamp	United Iron Works
Long Painting	R.L. Vanderschedlen, DDS



Continued Support is Needed!
All contributions to South Park
Advisory council are appreciated.

Club 100 Membership Application

Please fill out and mail to South Park Recreation Center at 8319 8th Ave South, Seattle WA 98108

Name _____

Phone/Fax _____

Address _____

City _____ Zip _____

Business _____

Donation: _____

Please make check payable to: SPAC

South Park Advisory Council (SPAC) is a 501(c) non-profit organization.

Please recycle this document.

RAINIER BEACH POOL

8825 Rainier Ave. S., Seattle WA. 98118
386-1944; TDD only 233-7061

PROFESSIONAL STAFF: Peter Brodtkin, Aquatic Center Coordinator
Corey Myers, Assistant Aquatic Center Coordinator
Montrel Jackson, Senior Lifeguard—Wendy Van De Sompele, Senior Lifeguard—
Ofelia DeBernal, Pool Operator—Tony Mosby, Cashier

Winter 2004 Lesson Information

Session	Program Dates	Open Registration	# of Classes	Price
I Mon/Wed	Jan 5 to Feb 11	Dec 29 after 11:30	11	\$44.00
I Tues/Thurs	Jan 6 to Feb 12	Dec 29 after 11:30	12	\$48.00
II Mon/Wed	Feb 23 to March 31	Feb 17 after 11:30	12	\$48.00
II Tues/Thurs	Feb 24 to April 1	Feb 17 after 11:30	12	\$48.00
Fri PM	Feb 27 to April 2	Feb 17 after 11:30	6	\$24.00
Sat AM & PM	Jan 10 to Mar 27	Dec 29 after 11:30	12	\$48.00
Sun AM	Jan 11 to Mar 28	Dec 29 after 11:30	12	\$48.00

Exercise Programs

\$3.50 Adults \$2.50 Seniors/Youth/Spec Pop

Stretch & Flex:

Mon/Wed/Fri 11:30 am - 12:30 pm

Water Aerobics:

Mon/Wed/Fri 12:30 - 1:30 pm

Mon/Wed/Fri 7:00 - 8:00 pm

Tues/Thurs 7:30 - 8:30 pm

Sat 9:00 - 10:00 am

Aqua-Jog:

Tues/Thurs 11:45 am - 12:30 pm

Arthritis Foundation Water Exercise:

Tues/Thurs 3:30 - 4:30 pm

Weight Circuit Training: (Fitness card needed)

Mon/Wed/Fri 10:15 - 11:15 am

Hydro-Fit:

Tues/Thurs 7:30 - 8:15 pm

Masters Workout:

Tues/Thurs 6:30 - 7:30 pm

Stroke Refinement:

Wed 7:00 - 8:00 pm

Weights:

\$2.00 or \$1.50 with swim admission
during pool operating hours.

RENT RAINIER BEACH POOL FOR YOUR NEXT PARTY

The pool is available on a first come first serve basis:

Fridays 8:30 pm to Midnight

Saturdays 5:00 pm to Midnight

Sundays 5:00 pm to Midnight

For more information, call 386-1944 during our operating hours.
Please allow 2 weeks advanced notice for all rental requests.

RAINIER BEACH POOL WINTER 2004 SCHEDULE

January 5, 2004 to April 4, 2004

General Admission: \$2.25 Youth, Seniors, Spec. Pops; \$3.25 Adults (over 18)

Fitness Programs: \$3.75 Adults; \$2.50 Seniors & Special Pops

Holiday Closures: January 19, Martin Luther King Day

February 16, Presidents Day

(Prices and Schedule subject to change)

MON & WED

10:30 - 11:30am	Weight Training	4:00 - 6:00pm	Youth Lesson
11:30 - 1:30pm	Lap & Senior Swim	6:00 - 7:00pm	Public Swim
11:30 - 12:30pm	Stretch & Flex	7:00 - 8:30pm	Lap Swim
12:30 - 1:30pm	Water Aerobics	7:00 - 8:00pm	Water Aerobics
		7:00 - 8:00pm	Stroke Refinement (Weds only-\$3.50)

TUES & THURS

11:30 - 1:30pm	Lap & Senior Swim	6:30 - 7:30pm	Masters Workout (\$3.50)
11:45 - 12:30pm	Aqua Jogging		
3:30 - 4:30pm	Arthritis Water Ex	7:00 - 7:30pm	Adult Lesson
4:30 - 7:00pm	Youth Lessons	7:30 - 8:30pm	Water Aerobics
6:00 - 6:30pm	Tots Lessons	7:30 - 8:15pm	Hydro-Fit
6:00 - 8:30pm	Lap Swim (3 lanes)		

FRIDAY

10:30 - 11:30am	Weight Training	5:30 - 7:00pm	Public Swim
11:30 - 1:30pm	Lap & Senior Swim	5:30 - 8:00pm	Lap Swim (3 lanes)
11:30 - 12:30pm	Stretch & Flex	7:00 - 8:00pm	Water Aerobics
12:30 - 1:30pm	Water Aerobics		

SATURDAY

9:00 - 10:00am	Lap & Senior Swim	Noon - 1:30pm	Lap Swim
9:00 - 10:00am	Water Aerobics	12:30 - 1:00pm	Adult Lessons
10:00 - Noon	Youth Lessons	1:30 - 3:30pm	Public Swim
Noon - 12:30pm	Tot Lessons	3:30 - 4:30pm	Youth Lessons

SUNDAY

11:00 - 12:30pm	Youth Lessons	1:30 - 2:30pm	Family Swim (\$1ea)
Noon - 1:30pm	Lap & Senior Swim	2:30 - 4:30pm	Public Swim